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CONTAINER FOR INHIBITING
MICROBIAL GROWTH IN LIQUID
NUTRIENTS

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In the Office Action dated April 19, 2006, the Examiner has issued
a Restriction Requirement to Applicants.

In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicants hereby
elect, with traverse, the invention of Group I, claims 1-29, 52, 53, 96 and 97,
drawn to a container, classified in class 210, subclass 198.1.

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